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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Granted

- 173-A. Hammond Standish & Co., M. C. R. R. and LaGrange Street, Toledo, Ohio.
- *E-91. Holland-American Packing Co., Box 552, Great Falls, Mont.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

906. Millers (Inc.), Trenton, N. J.

Meat Inspection Extended

- *3. Swift & Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill., to include the Newton Packing Co. and the Underwood Packing Co.
 - United Sausage Co., Boston, Mass., to include B. Meier & Son, Keane-Loffler Co., Adolf Gobel (Inc.), George Kern (Inc.), and Merkel (Inc.).

Change in Name of Official Establishment

 Greenwald (Inc.), Union Stock Yards, Baltimore, Md., instead of The Greenwald Packing Corp.

^{*} Conducts slaughtering.

Change in Name of Subsidiary

- 420. Hygrade Food Products Corp., Brooklyn, N. Y.: The name Chris. Grozinger Co. (Inc.), is changed to Chris. Grozinger Corp. of New York.
- 973. Hygrade Food Products Corp., Brooklyn, N. Y.: The name Chris. Grozinger Co. (Inc.), is changed to Chris. Grozinger Corp. of New York.
- 973-B. Hygrade Food Products Corp., New York, N. Y.: The name Chris. Grozinger Co. (Inc.), is changed to Chris. Grozinger Corp. of New York.

Change of Official in Charge

- Dr. Jens Madsen succeeds Dr. J. E. Cloud (retired) as inspector in charge at San Diego, Calif.
- Dr. E. F. Cary succeeds Dr. Jens Madsen as inspector in charge at Oklahoma City Okla
- City, Okla.

 Dr. C. P. Hart succeeds Dr. E. F. Cary as inspector in charge at Nashville, Tenn.

 Dr. John L. Burgett succeeds Dr. C. P. Hart as inspector in charge at Morristown, Tenn.
- Dr. C. O. Benson, Ogdensburg, N. Y., will temporarily cover the work at Watertown, N. Y., formerly under the charge of Dr. A. L. Danforth (resigned).

New Stations

- Toledo, Ohio, meat inspection, Edward Smith, in charge, care Hammond Standish & Co., M. C. R. R. and LaGrange Street.
- Great Falls, Mont., meat inspection, Dr. P. A. Franzmann, in charge, care Holland-American Packing Co., Box 552.

NOTICES REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION

ANIMAL CASINGS FOR CANADA

Referring to Service and Regulatory Announcements of August, 1928, entitled "Finished Animal Casings for Canada," the bureau is in receipt of official advice to the effect that the Canadian authorities are experiencing difficulty in identifying animal casings from the United States with the certificate on account of the absence of marks on the containers. Accordingly, exporters are requested to mark the containers of each consignment of animal casings for Canada with the name of the product such as "Green hog casings," "Finished beef bungs," etc., and a shipping mark in diamond form inclosing the initial or initials of the exporter.

Inspectors are directed to see that the containers of animal casings for Canada are marked as indicated above, and that the shipping mark and the name of the product are shown on the corresponding official certificate.

CERTIFICATE FOR ANIMAL CASINGS DESTINED TO AUSTRALIA

The Government of Australia requires that animal casings imported into that country shall be accompanied by an official certificate similar to the revised certificate for animal casings for Austria. Therefore casings intended for export to Australia should be handled and certified as indicated in Service and Regulatory Announcements of November, 1926.

MINERAL OIL USED AS A DENATURANT

Hereafter, mineral oil used as a denaturant must have a specific gravity not lower than 0.835 at 60° F. (15.5° C.), a flash point (open cup) not lower than 250° (121° C.), and a boiling point not lower than 465° (241° C.); it must be easily recognizable by taste when present in fat in the proportion of 1 part of oil to 1,000 parts of fat, and must be used in the proportion of not less than 1 part to each 100 parts of grease.

When condemned or inedible product is rendered in a steam tank or in dryrendering apparatus which is operated under pressure of steam generated from the moisture in the charge, there shall be added to the contents of the tank or dry rendered before closing and sealing a quantity of approved mineral oil sufficient to make not less than 1 part in each 100 parts of the yield of grease.

When condemned or inedible product is rendered in dry-rendering apparatus

operated at atmospheric pressure or under vacuum a quantity of approved mineral oil sufficient to make not less than 1 part in each 100 parts of grease shall be added to and thoroughly mixed with the rendered grease while melted. shall be held under supervision until denaturing has been completed.

Rendered fat condemned on reinspection may be denatured by melting and mixing with a quantity of approved mineral oil sufficient to make not less than 1

part in each 100 parts of the condemned fat.

A 4-ounce sample shall be collected from each delivery of mineral denaturing oil to official establishments and submitted to the district meat-inspection laboratory to determine conformity with the requirements. Inspectors will not permit the use of any denaturing oil until approved by the laboratory.

Mineral oil, now on hand at official establishments, which already has been approved under the former requirements, may be utilized as a denaturant but must be used in the proportion of not less than 1 part to each 100 parts of grease.

This notice supersedes previous instructions in Service and Regulatory Announcements, January, 1915, page 2, Mineral Oil for Denaturing.

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1928, UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION IN DISTRICTS REPRESENTED BY THE CITIES IN THE FOLLOWING TABLE

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats	Swine
Baltimore	6,719	692	2, 140		88, 894
Buffalo	8, 715	2,310	7, 176		91, 061
Chicago	167, 479	48, 820	222, 309	754	641, 186
Cincinnati	12, 705	5, 387	5, 974	15	94, 909
Cleveland	8, 188	5, 023	14, 347		99, 045
Denver	11, 441	1, 943	17, 499		24, 024
Detroit	6, 986	6, 249	29, 183		110, 852
Fort Worth	35, 673	41,649	12, 274	109	28, 247
Indianapolis	15, 844	3, 591	4,319		121, 434
Kansas City	73, 206	16, 197	75, 516	2,099	216, 386
Milwaukee	17,874	38, 586	9, 238	1	171, 401
National Stock Yards	33, 418	7, 175	18, 257	133	125, 206
New York	34, 908	50, 355	228, 276	92	140, 039
Omaha	62, 137	5, 941	119, 961	62	115,008
Philadelphia	5, 452	6,344	16, 513		91, 800
St. Louis.	13, 472	4, 187	4,971	12	164, 689
Sioux City	25, 704	2,355	63, 312		78, 997
South St. Joseph	30, 428	5, 610	67, 234		114, 218
South St. Paul	49, 734	56, 638	114, 485	8	294, 445
Wichita	6,019	2, 038	3, 137	1	51,326
All other establishments	135, 943	66, 879	153, 295	645	1, 592, 106
Total: November, 1928	762, 045	377, 969	1, 189, 416	3, 931	4, 455, 273
November, 1927	881, 483	409, 765	1, 071, 361	1, 708	3, 688, 439
11 months ended Nov., 1928	7, 800, 429	4, 339, 223	12, 435, 450	17, 268	44, 013, 372
11 months ended Nov., 1927	8, 758, 961	4, 499, 421	11, 789, 075	21, 520	38, 764, 852

Horses slaughtered at all establishments November, 1928, 12,485.

Inspections of lard at all establishments, 149,876,289 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 43,362,967 inspection pounds; sausage, 67,122,333 inspection pounds.

Corresponding inspections for November, 1927: Lard, 122,753,448 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 34,152,583 inspection pounds; sausage, 67,664,353 inspection pounds.

(These totals of inspection pounds do not represent actual production, as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

EXTENT OF TUBERCULOSIS IN ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED AT THREE IMPORTANT MARKETS, NOVEMBER, 1928

	m	Retained for tuberculosis				
· Station	Total slaughter	Total	Passed for cooking	Con- demned		
Cattle: Chicago Kansas City Omaha	167, 479	5, 573	184	1, 012		
	73, 206	213	8	57		
	62, 137	520	20	68		
Swine: Chicago Kansas City Omaha	641, 186	70, 730	912	854		
	216, 386	8, 626	101	53		
	115, 008	10, 184	153	100		

CAUSES OF CONDEMNATION OF CARCASSES, OCTOBER, 1928

Cause	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Swine
Emaciation	863	119	1, 493	72
Inflammatory diseases	1, 272	180 224	1, 208	4, 032 2, 222
Tuberculosis All other causes	3, 488 1, 526	44 226	1, 032	3, 811 2, 588
Total	7, 149	793	3, 733	12,725

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during November, 1928, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals

Country of export	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico Canada Channel Islands Virgin Islands (to Porto Rico)	34, 758 17, 951 79 35	10 92	3, 728 766	32
Total: November, 1928 November, 1927 11 months ended November, 1928 11 months ended November, 1927	52, 823 85, 369 458, 558 408, 599	102 11, 784 19, 994 184, 814	4, 494 4, 189 33, 618 33, 123	32 1 330 187

Note.—Owing to delayed report from Cape Vincent, N. Y., the following importation should be added to the record for October, appearing on page 97 of Service and Regulatory Announcements for November, 1928:

Canada Country of export Cattle

Imports of meats and meat food products

Country of someth	Fresh and	refrigerated	Cured	Other	Total
Country of export	Beef	Other	and canned	meat products	weight
Argentina	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds 1, 929, 056	Pounds 121, 349	Pounds 2, 050, 405
Australia Brazil	53, 458	34, 343	465, 048	70, 621 40, 320	158, 422 505, 368
Canada New Zealand Paraguay	3, 255, 368 4, 345, 412	844, 829 1, 543	2, 104, 743 205, 992 430, 283	404, 910 15, 171	6, 609, 850 4, 568, 118 430, 283
Uruguay Other countries			1, 708, 577 59, 853	111, 610 144, 094	1, 820, 187 203, 947
Total: November, 1928 November, 1927	7, 654, 238 5, 694, 729	880, 715 1, 399, 054	6, 903, 552 4, 592, 085	908, 075 1, 420, 094	16, 346, 580 13, 105, 962
11 months ended November,	44, 807, 781	16, 543, 610	71, 019, 772	10, 720, 522	143, 091, 685
11 months ended November, 1927	27, 956, 425	23, 172, 171	51, 210, 121	6, 503, 667	108, 842, 384

Condemned in November, 1928: Beef, 1,779 pounds; pork, 256 pounds; total, 2,035 pounds.

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, NOVEMBER, 1928

		erculin t		То	tal to da	ate				
State	Herds or lots	Cattle	Cat- tle re- acted	Once- tested free herds	Ac- cred- ited herds	Herds under super- vision	Inspector in charge	State official		
Ala Ariz Ark Calif	426 333 1, 224 135	3, 390 4, 867 5, 292 11, 965	7 30 12 72	5, 376 8, 173 2, 891 5, 721	274 45 15 103	8, 054 8, 249 4, 925 6, 248	R. E. Jackson F. L. Schneider H. L. Fry R. Snyder	C. A. Cary, Auburn. E. L. Stam, Phoenix. J. H. Bux, Little Rock. J. P. Iverson, Sacra		
Colo Conn	13 300	543 5, 128	99	3, 115 4, 335	168 1, 675	3, 692 6, 984	W. E. Howe R. L. Smith	mento. C. G. Lamb, Denver. J. M. Whittlesey, Hart-		
Del	224	2, 789	61	3, 126	1, 954	5, 892	W. G. Middleton	ford. O. A. Newton, Bridge- ville.		
D. C Fla	176	4, 109	4	99 7, 697	8 182	99 8, 526	A. E. Wight J. G. Fish	J. V. Knapp, Tallahas		
GaIdaho Ill	1, 031 193 10, 491	6, 779 7, 417 93, 064	29 2 1, 075	14, 390 31, 982 134, 717	35 63 5, 273	14, 439 35, 277 150, 435	A. L. Hirleman W. A. Sullivan J. J. Lintner	J. M. Sutton, Atlanta. A. J. Dickman, Boise. D. W. Robinson, Spring.		
Ind	6, 693	48, 059	196	115, 536	36, 976	159, 734	J. E. Gibson	field. Frank H. Brown, Indianapolis.		
Iowa	3, 475	59, 122	652	96, 264	4, 629	158, 915	J. A. Barger	M. G. Thornburg, Des Moines.		
Kans Ky	2, 351 1, 226	26, 274 6, 725	111 43	72, 889 71, 084	762 58	73, 801 71, 460	N. L. Townsend W. F. Biles	J. H. Mercer, Topeka. D. E. Westmorland, Frankfort.		
La		1, 765	20	7, 367	17	7, 694	G. T. Cole	E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.		
Me Md	1, 287 1, 914	9, 029 19, 036	25 974	35, 864 11, 545	3, 210 6, 066	41, 052 24, 111	G. R. Caldwell E. B. Simonds	R. M. Tucker, Augusta James B. George, Balti- more.		
Mass	660	4, 559	135	1, 470	1, 126	3, 034	E. A. Crossman	E. F. Richardson, Bos-		
Mich Minn Miss Mo	6, 047	57, 085 117, 185 2, 105 10, 762	434 1, 911 47 17	162, 294 72, 424 13, 135 67, 199	8, 695 27 222	165, 297 86, 210 13, 179 70, 800	H. Robbins	B. J. Killham, Lansing. C. E. Cotton, St. Paul. R. V. Rafnel, Jackson.		
Mont Nebr Nev N. H N. J N. Mex	2.039	9, 532 28, 785 1, 817 7, 656 3, 724 1, 397	155 23	30, 687 66, 327 1, 111 2, 097 3, 424 1, 745	94 107 11 3, 308 2, 375 22	31, 210 66, 868 1, 425 5, 738 8, 526 1, 824	A. H. Francis L. C. Butterfield E. A. Crossman	City, W. J. Butler, Helena. C. H. Hays, Lincoln. Edward Records, Reno. A. L. Felker, Concord. J. H. McNeil, Trenton. Mat. Keenan, Albu-		
N. Y N. C N. Dak Ohio	183	90, 384 1, 613 31, 387 28, 189	9 260	39, 015 256, 530 45, 565 158, 146	62, 098 391 5, 023 636	115, 410 257, 311 56, 199 164, 825	W. C. Dendinger - H. H. Cohenour -	querque. E. T. Faulder, Albany. Wm. Moore, Raleigh. W. F. Crewe, Bismarck. F. A. Zimmer, Colum-		
Okla	. 19	663	5	124	281	423	L. J. Allen	bus. C. C. Hisel, Oklahoma City.		
Oreg Pa	1, 431 8, 221	10, 843 75, 867		49, 866 101, 008	463 4, 948	50, 352 120, 920	S. B. Foster J. B. Reidy	T. E. Munce, Harris		
R. I	. 36	671	- 33	176	76	380	E. A. Crossman	burg. T. E. Robinson, Provi dence.		
S. C S. Dak Tenn	. 1, 794	4, 566 32, 191 9, 450	226	51, 424 8, 616 57, 032	114 1,305 249	51, 602 10, 198 57, 415	J. O. Wilson	W. K. Lewis, Columbia M. W. Ray, Pierre. W. B. Lincoln, Nash		
Tex	. 105	3, 443	9	127	233	458	H. L. Darby	ville. N. F. Williams, Fort Worth.		
Utah	2, 044	7, 565	63	10, 724	97	11, 548	F. E. Murray	W. H. Hendricks, Salt Lake City.		
Vt	946	20, 010	515	4, 799	6, 139	14, 260	L. H. Adams	Edward H. Jones, Mont		
Va				20, 642		22, 14 3		pelier. H. C. Givens, Rich		
Wash W. Va	1, 200 1, 517	11, 900 5, 822			79 1, 174	42, 392 43, 317	J. C. Exline H. M. Newton	Robert Prior, Olympia. John W. Smith, Charleston.		
Wis		162, 460	2, 765	,	10, 014	154, 325		Walter A. Duffy, Madison.		
Wyo				9, 821	4	11, 172	John T. Dallas L. E. Case	H. D. Port, Cheyenne. L. E. Case.		
Total	92, 533	1, 070, 283	17, 640	2, 088, 617	172, 128	2, 428, 348				

PERMITTED DISINFECTANTS

In accordance with the provisions of B. A. I. Order 309, governing the interstate movement of livestock, the bureau has granted permission for the use of the following saponified cresol solutions, in the general disinfection of cars, yards, and other premises:
To the Dixie Chemical Co. (Inc.), 623 Commerce Street, New Orleans, La.,

for the use of "Dixsol."

To The Heinrich Chemical Co., Minneapolis, Minn., for the distribution use of "Crestall Dip," under the name of "Heinrich's Crestall Solution." "Heinrich's Crestall Solution" is identical with "Crestall Dip" manufactured by Baird & McGuire (Inc.), Holbrook, Mass.

ANTI-HOG-CHOLERA SERUM AND HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS PRODUCED UNDER LICENSES

	Total serum	otal serum Clear serum completed H		Simultane- ous virus	Hyperim- munizing virus
November, 1928	C. c.	C. c.	C. c.	C. c.	C. c.
	82, 533, 367	62, 710, 567	69, 311, 755	3, 144, 102	14, 845, 866
	91, 290, 783	46, 654, 386	50, 526, 657	3, 396, 728	12, 812, 875
	824, 446, 498	575, 999, 949	664, 875, 260	59, 162, 801	177, 806, 507
	1, 321, 017, 598	618, 584, 139	699, 569, 837	57, 942, 013	275, 149, 564

LICENSES ISSUED FOR BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS IN NOVEMBER, 1928

License No. 52 was issued November 6, 1928, to The Cutter Laboratory, Fourth and Parker Streets, Berkeley, Calif., for antimastitis serum (bovine)

and antinavel-ill serum (equine).

License No. 191 was issued November 20, 1928, to Ashe Lockhart (Inc.),

800-804 Woodswether Road, Kansas City, Mo., for autogenous bacterin.

SUMMARY OF HOG-CHOLERA-CONTROL WORK, NOVEMBER, 1928

	Bureau veteri-	Premises	Demon	strations	Autop-	Farms	Farms	Out- breaks re-
State	narians engaged in work ¹	investi- gated	Number	Hogs treated	sies per- formed	quaran- tined or carded	cleaned and dis- infected	ported to bureau veteri- narians
Alabama	1	210	2	8	7			
Arkansas	1. 25	72	4	43	6		5	149
Colorado	. 25	5	-		5			1
Florida	1.5	55	30	529	10			46
Georgia	1.33	63	13	261	11			19
Idaho	1	73	5	87	5	4		4
Illinois	3	179	4	90	77	41	53	157
Indiana	2	46			7	2		23
Iowa	2 0.5	77	1	62	21			79
Kansas	. 85	106			8			2
Kentucky	2	294	19	995	35 3			27
Louisiana Maryland	$\frac{1}{2}$	33 327	5	162	31			3
		69		104	23	118		130
Michigan Mississippi	1.03	153	5 13	164 235	23			59
Missouri	1.00	68	3	39	12			$\frac{1}{32}$
Montana	.5	24	0	99	9	5	2	32
Nebraska	.5	21			11	, ,		2
North Carolina	1 1	204	163	1, 281	40	95		31
Ohio	i	10	1	20	7	30		18
Oklahoma	2	131	3	168	13	6		12
South Carolina	ī	49	46	918	5			6
South Dakota	i 1	19			8			ĭ
Tennessee	1	129			6	13		13
Texas	1 1	66			1			28
Virginia	1	39			9			25
Washington	1.5	96			6	3		10
Oregon)				0	3		
West Virginia	1 1	17			1			4
Wisconsin	1	94	26	501	15	12		13
Total	36. 71	2, 729	343	5, 563	394	299	60	902

¹ Fractions denote veterinarians devoting part time to hog-cholera work.

RESULTS OF TICK-ERADICATION WORK, JULY 1, 1906, TO DECEMBER 1, 1928

	Counties	quaran- ed	Counties released	Released counties tick free on Nov. 1—						
State	July 1, 1906	Dec. 1, 1928	Dec. 1, 1928	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928
AlabamaArkansasCalifornia	67 75 15	1 20 0	66 55 15	15 16 15	26 21 15	41 34 15	49 31 15	49 41 15	57 44 15	59 48 15
Florida	67	41	26	3	3	1	7	12	14	22
Georgia	158	0	158	101	119	138	149	151	153	154
Kentucky	2	.0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1 2
Louisiana	64	41	23	3 37	3	4	4	11	4	
Mississippi	82	23	59		47	54	47	47	46	48
Missouri North Carolina	73	0	73	4 40	46	53	4 65	73	$\frac{4}{71}$	7
Oklahoma	61	0	61	35	47	49	52	55	54	5
South Carolina	46	ŏ	46	29	35	36	40	40	44	4
Tennessee	42	ŏ	42	41	41	42	42	42	42	45
Texas.	198	72	126	44	49	56	69	72	77	79
Virginia	31	0	31	(1)	(1)	(1)	25	27	26	29
Totals	985	198	787	385	458	529	601	641	653	677

¹ Inactive November 1, 1922, to November 1, 1924.

Areas released from Federal quarantine Dec. 1, 1928: Alabama, 3 counties; Arkansas, 1 county and the remainder of 1 county; Florida, 8 counties; Louisiana, 2 parishes and part of 1 parish; Oklahoma, 1 county and the remainders of 3 counties; Texas, 8 counties. No areas requarantined Dec. 1, 1928. Twenty-four additional released counties tick free on Nov. 1, 1928.

INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS AND PROJECTS

The attention of inspectors in charge and employees charged with the duty of preparing pay rolls and other vouchers is invited to the fact that frequently claims are transmitted to the bureau for payment, quoting a particular appropriation and an entirely different project symbol. This is not only confusing but very often causes an item of expense to be charged to the wrong appropriation. These errors occur on all classes of vouchers but more often in connection with pay rolls. In preparing the form, T-52, to accompany a pay roll, care should be taken to see that the entry in the "Project" column agrees with the entry in the "Appropriation" column. Several cases have occurred recently in connection with stockyards work in which a tuberculosis project symbol was quoted but it was indicated that the item should be paid from the inspection and quarantine appropriation; also, an inspection and quarantine project symbol was quoted but it was indicated in the appropriation column that payment should be made from the packers and stockyards appropriation.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS

Fines and penalties have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Livestock-Quarantine Law

Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., interstate transportation of cattle without tuberculin test, \$100 fine.

San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad (2 cases), failure to mark waybills "Southern cattle," \$200 fines.

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, \$100 penalty. Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Long Island Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. New York Central Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Pennsylvania Railroad Co., \$100 penalty. Texas & New Orleans Railroad Co., \$100 penalty.



NEW PUBLICATIONS OF THE BUREAU

[The bureau keeps no mailing list for sending publications to individual employees, but sends copies to officers in charge of stations and offices. These publications should be regarded as notification copies. So far as possible additional copies will be furnished on request.]

Technical Bulletin No. 93. Four Species of Range Plants not Poisonous to Livestock. By C. Dwight Marsh, A. B. Clawson, and G. C. Roe, Pathological Division. Pp. 10.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 578. The Making and Feeding of Silage (revised).

Farmers' Bulletin No. 578. The Making and Feeding of Silage (revised). By two employees of the Bureau of Dairying and E. W. Sheets, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 26, figs. 11.

Farmers' Bulletin No. 1330 (slightly revised). Parasites and Parasitic Diseases of Sheep. By Maurice C. Hall, Zoological Division. Pp. 36, figs. 34.

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Farmers' Bulletin No. 1391 (revised). The Guinea Fowl. By Alfred R. Lee,
Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 13, figs. 6.
Farmers' Bulletin No. 1524 (slightly revised). Farm Poultry Raising. By
M. A. Jull, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 28, figs. 21.
Farmers' Bulletin No. 1554 (slightly revised). Poultry Houses and Fixtures.
By M. A. Jull and A. R. Lee, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 30, figs. 29.
Farmers' Bulletin No. 1589. The Husker-Shredder on Eastern Corn Belt
Farms. By employees of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics and Bureau of
Public Roads and E. W. McComas, Animal Husbandry Division. Pp. 21,
figs. 10.

Instructions Concerning Work Under Regulations Governing Interstate Movement of Livestock. By John R. Mohler, Chief, Bureau of Animal Industry.

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